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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief/FE

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ATTENTION: [redacted] Operations Officer

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SUBJECT: Freedom Commission Proposals

1. There is forwarded herewith a copy of H.R. 3880, a copy of S. 1689, and a speech of the Honorable A. S. Herlong, Jr., of Florida, in the House of Representatives on Monday, February 2, 1959, with regard to the Freedom Commission Act. Mr. Herlong has probably been the strongest single force behind the proposed legislation.

2. At the present time there is pending in Congress, five identical bills cited as the Freedom Commission Act. Their numbers and authors are as follows:

H.R. 3880 - Congressman A. S. Herlong, Jr. (D., Fla.)
H.R. 3881 - Congressman Walter H. Judd (R., Minn.)
H.R. 4803 - Congressman Donald L. Jackson (R., Calif.)
H.R. 4988 - Congressman Charles E. Bennett (D., Fla.)
S. 1689 - Senators Karl E. Mundt (R., S.Dak.) and
Paul H. Douglas (D., Ill.)

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